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SUBJ: SPAIN AND NATO: BRINGING THE PSOE ALONG

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1. THE JUNE 17-18 SUMMIT BRINGING TOGETHER SPANISH AND
PORTUGUESE SOCIALIST LEADERS, PROBABLY INCLUDING SOARES AND
GONZALEZ, OFFERS AN OPPORTUNITY TO MODERATE FURTHER PSOE
OBJECTIONS TO NATO MEMBERSHIP FOR SPAIN. SOARES AND THE
PORTUGUESE SOCIALISTS ARE FIRMLY COMMITTED TO NATO AND BELIEVE
SPAIN SHOULD ALSO BE IN. IN DISCUSSING THE SUMMIT WITH PS
PARTICIPANTS, WE ARE PREPARED, IF ADDRESSEES THINK IT WOULD
BE USEFUL, TO HIGHLIGHT THE DIFFERING PS AND PSOE POSITIONS
ON NATO. OUR SOCIALIST FRIENDS WILL GET THE MESSAGE. THEY
ARE WELL AWARE OF THE SENSITIVITIES OF THE ISSUE IN SPAIN,
AND WE THINK THEY CAN BE COUNTED UPON TO BE HELPFUL WITHOUT
BEING HEAVY HANDED.
ACTION REQUESTED: REACTIONS FROM ADDRESSEES.
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